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OREGON SHORT LINE. Board of Directors Chosen at the Annual Meeting. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SALT LAKE, Oct. 12.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oregon Short Line Railway was held this city today, and the old board of directors were substantially re-elected. The names of the directors chosen are: Oliver Ames, Boston; Francis D. Bangs, W. D. Cornish, W. E. Glynn, E. H. Harriman, Otto H.

Kuhn, James Loeb, Winslow Pierce of New York; Horace B. Burt, Omaha; Samuel Carr, Jefferson Coolidge, Jr., Gardiner M. Lane and Oliver W. Mink, Boston; George J. Gould, Lakewood, N. J.

Burt is president of the Union Pacific, and takes the place of Henry G. Oakman. George J. Gould, E. H. Harriman and Otto H. Kuhn are new names. It is said that the large Union Pacific representation on the new board does not mean a consolidation of the two roads, but that a closer traffic relation will be established.

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BLOOD FLOWS.

Long-expected Clash at Virden Comes.

Union Miners Attack a Train Loaded With Negroes.

Latter Return the Shots and the Train Flies On.

BATTLE WITH THE STOCKADE

Fight Becomes Three-cornered With Deadly Effect.

Number of Those Killed and Wounded not Certain.

The List Fools Up Over Thirty Dead and Injured.

MILITIAMEN KILL A GUARD.

Gov. Tanner Orders Out Troops—He Charges the Bloodshed Upon the Mine Officers—Strikers are Looking for Lukens.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VIRDEN (III.) Oct. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Twelve men killed and twenty wounded. This destruction of life, greater than that of some battles in war time, was the result of an attack made by striking coal miners here today on a train bringing negroes from the South to open the mines. The conflict, while it lasted, was terrible, and the town was overwhelmed with the rush of frenzy and riot. Martial law has been proclaimed, and the militia under Capt. Craig is already here. More troops are expected in the morning, but despite their presence, fighting will probably be renewed.

The mine-owners have announced their intention of using imported negro laborers at all hazards, and the strikers are desperate in their intention of resisting. The strikers had long known that the company contemplated running in southern negroes to take their places. That such was the intention was not denied by the company. It built a heavy stockade about the property, and thirty-two ex-Chicago police-men were brought down and stalled in the stockade.

That blood would flow when the negroes arrived was a foregone conclusion, for the miners have been gathering here from Mt. Olive, Springfield, Girard and other mining towns, and the announcement was made several days ago that the negroes would not be allowed to enter the town.

The negroes arrived this morning in a special train. There was a hasty gathering of men. They ranged themselves down along the tracks, and in the vicinity of the stockade and awaited the coming of the negroes. At 12:45 o'clock the special steamed into town. No attempt was made to stop at the depot, but the train rushed on to the stockade just at the edge of the little town. As the train approached, a miner stationed near fired his gun into the car. That was the signal to the men. As soon as the train stopped at the stockade there was a withering fire from the stockade and from the guards on the train. The miners responded, and in a twinkling the battle was on in all its fury, both sides pouring hot fire into the other.

The train stopped on the east side of the stockade, and here the scene was frightful. There was a crowd of miners standing here who were not participating, it is alleged, to any great extent, the active demonstration being east of the stockade. The miners east of the stockade were in a field, and the men in the tower of the stockade, with a deliberation of sharpshooters, began picking men off one by one. Consternation reigned. Men ran aimlessly about, but all the time the relentless sharpshooters in the tower were shooting them down. It was here the miners lost all of the men killed. Two men on the train, names unknown, were killed, and many were wounded, two fatally, their names also being unknown.

After remaining for about five minutes the train was rushed on, none of the negroes being unloaded, but the mine operators say they will be brought back and put to work. Gov. Tanner has refused to protect imported negroes with State militia.

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the union miners and imported negroes. At 12:40 o'clock this afternoon a Chicago and Alton special train bearing 200 negroes from the South arrived at the stockade around the Chicago-Virginia Coal Company's mines, and immediately terrific firing began. The list at 10 o'clock tonight stands seven killed and eighteen wounded. The dead are: ED WELSH, Springfield.

FRANK BILYEAU, Springfield. ALBERT SMITH, Mount Olive. JOE KITTERY, Mount Olive. ERNEST KEUTNER, Mount Olive. A. H. BRENEMAN, Girard. D. H. KILEY, Chicago and Alton detective.

The wounded: ANSE ANKEL, Mount Olive. GUSTAVE WEVSIEP, Mount Olive. ED UPTON, Springfield.

THOMAS KENNINGS, Springfield. JOE HAINES, Girard, shot in leg.

JOE RUNK, Girard, shot in stomach. W. A. HERMAN, Girard, shot in hand.

JOE BASTON, Mount Olive, shot in stomach.

JOE SPRIM, Mount Olive, shot in arm.

BART TIGAR, engineer Chicago and Alton road, shot in arm.

J. F. EYSTER, superintendent of Climax Trading Company, shot and beaten.

It is believed fifty men were wounded in the stockade, but this has not been verified, as those inside the stockade refuse to communicate with outsiders.

For the past two weeks rumors have reached Virden daily that a train having negroes from Alabama would reach the city, and the Chicago and Alton depot has been surrounded day and night by vigilant miners determinedly awaiting their arrival.

Today the Chicago and Alton limited, due to pass here at 10 o'clock, shot through en route to Chicago, an hour late, displaying flags on the rear, indicating that a special was following. Immediately the word was spread, and a dense crowd of miners lined the station platform, while another crowd collected at the entrance to the stockade, half a mile north of the station. D. B. Kiley, a Chicago and Alton detective, stood guard at a switch at the south end of the station platform to see that it was not tampered with.

At 12:40 o'clock the special train passed the station and signal shots were fired from the south end of the train, announcing the special's arrival. Immediately shots were fired from the moving train and outside, and the battle was on. A few minutes after the train had passed the switch where Kiley was stationed, and while he was talking with two citizens, he threw up his arms and dropped dead with a bullet through his brain. He was the first man killed. The train continued to the stockade, the miners firing into it all along the route, and the negro passengers returning the fire.

The moment the train reached the stockade, the miners opened a desperate fire with Winchesters and revolvers and firearms of all descriptions. The negroes on the train answered with a steady fire. The miners and the train were enveloped in a cloud of smoke, and the shooting sounded like a continuous volley. Engineer Burt Tigar received a bullet in the arm and dropped from his seat. His fireman seized the throttle, pulled it open, and with a jerk the train was under speed, carrying a load of wounded negro passengers to Springfield. How many were wounded is not known. The train stopped at the stockade but two minutes. Its departure did not cause the fire to cease. The tower of the stockade was filled with sharpshooters, armed with Winchesters, and they kept up a steady fire into the crowd of union miners.

Eye-witnesses say that the dead miners were killed after the train had departed. It is not known how many men are stationed behind the walls of the stockade, but an estimate is placed at between twenty-five and forty. Another claim is that six within the stockade were wounded, but those inside refuse to hold any communication with the outside, and nothing authentic can be learned. Word was, however, sent from the stockade to physicians in town that their services were needed.

The supply and provision store of the Chicago-Virginia Coal Company is known as the Climax Trading Company, with J. F. Eyster in charge. At 2 o'clock, after the firing at the stockade had subsided, an attack without a parallel in the history of the trouble was made on Eyster in his store on Main street, one block from the depot, which will probably cost him his life. He was sitting in his store when his telephone rang, and he was instructed from the stockade to secure physicians and hurry them to the place. Eyster jumped into his delivery wagon and, securing two doctors, rushed to the mines. He returned to his store, climbed out of his wagon and was just entering the door when the cry was raised that Manager Fred Lukens of the mines was with him. With a rush a throng of infuriated miners pressed toward the store. Eyster ran behind a counter with a revolver in each hand. The miners pressed hard after him, and as Eyster sprang up stairs he and the miners began shooting simultaneously. He ran to the top of his building and jumped behind a chimney, while the miners ran into the street and opened fire on him again. Chips flew from the brick chimney, and Eyster ran from cover across to the roof of another store, firing into the

street. Preliminary examination of Col. Smith's assailant... Escaped convicts from Sacramento tracked to San Gabriel Valley... Break in Pasadena water main.

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CANNOT SHIRK.

Responsibilities Resting Upon This Nation.

Americans Must Follow Duty Even if Desire Opposes.

New Problems Affect not Only Us, but All Others.

THE PRESIDENT ON THE WAR.

Earnest and Patriotic Speech Made at Omaha.

He Extols the Invincible Spirit Shown by the People.

Heroes of the Conflict Worthy Their Great Ancestry.

RIGHT WILL GUIDE THE FUTURE.

The Chief Executive Received With Great Enthusiasm—He Extends Greeting to Transmississippians. St. Louis to Declare a Holiday.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Oct. 12.—The third day of Omaha's peace jubilee, and "President's day" at the Transmississippi Exposition opened with lowering sky. About 10 o'clock, however, the sun burst forth in all its radiance, making the hearts of thousands glad. The President was up early this morning, and at 9 o'clock was in the parlors of the Omaha Club, where he greeted the members of his party and other distinguished callers. It was after 10 o'clock when the Presidential party, escorted by President Wattles and members of the Entertainment Committee in carriages started for the exposition grounds. They were headed by a platoon of mounted police, while the President and party were escorted by the board of governors of the Ak-Sar-Ben mounted and dressed in their regalia.

In the first carriage was the President, with Gordon W. Wattles, president of the exposition; then

the call for troops at the beginning of the war, that he regrets personally the severance of the pleasant relations of the regiment from his command. The whole command have been more or less intimately associated and have made many friendly ties, and these ties should and will remain pleasant remembrances to all of us.

"The commanding general is pleased to say that he has always had efficient, ready and willing support from every officer and man in this regiment, and the regiment now returns to its home with the highest appreciation of its division commander, as fine, efficient military organization, who have given to the government their best service under trying circumstances of camp life, drills, and under severe climatic conditions.

"He especially regrets that some of its members have been left behind through sickness and death. The memories of these will always be revered by each and all of us with devout love and respect. The best wishes for all the members of the regiment in the future follows you from all of us still left temporarily in service.

[Signed] "M. P. MILLER,
Brigadier-General, U. S. Vols., Commanding."

"The telegraph announcement in The Times Wednesday that the Seventh Regiment would start for home yesterday was due to an erroneous Associated Press dispatch from San Francisco. The date stated in the above special agrees with Times special heretofore printed—Ed."

REST ON THEIR LAURELS.

THE ONE BATTLE WAS ENOUGH FOR THE PILLAGERS.

They Say They Were Only Having a "Little Fun" and Laugh at the Fear of the Whites—Flour, Bacon, Sugar, Rice, Tobacco and Canned Goods Tribute.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

ST. PAUL, Oct. 12.—A Walker, Minn., special to the Dispatch says the Bear Islanders, or Pillager Indians will surrender and war has been averted. It only remains for the terms to be arranged before the hostiles will come into the agency. Father Aloysius Homann, Gus H. Beaulieu and Chief Gay-Wah-Che-Way-Bimung, the peace commissioners, who left on the Florida last evening for the hostile camp, got back at 4 o'clock this morning.

"They got to the camp at Black Duck Point, the mouth of the Boy River, at 9 o'clock last night. Indians on watch responded to signals, and the three commissioners were ashore in a skiff, carrying flour, bacon, sugar, rice, tobacco and canned goods. They met a large number of the Indians back in the woods and were given a cordial greeting. Hands were shaken all around, and the battle of a week ago was talked over. The Indians alluded to it as a "little fun." Bog-Ah-Mah-Gie-Shirk was not in conference with the commissioners, but when he came along, were should back and forth across the little bay between him and the commissioners. He waited all day for the emissaries to appear and left for his house across the bay soon after dark.

"When the boat got in sight, the Indians sent up skyrockets. After landing a big fire was built and a conference held for three hours. The Indians were familiar with every movement of the tribe, and when asked if they had any paper men had not come out, and said they expected them. When it is explained that it was thought advisable for only a few people to go out, the hostiles laughed at the fears of the peace commissioners, and agreed to go out today. A report in writing to be made to Indian Commissioner Jones was received at a late hour today. The emissaries refused to make public their report until submitted to Commissioner Jones, for fear that they would be taken into account on the part of the Indians will come to the agency when a reply is sent back to the statements in the report of the commissioners.

"The Indians are told that the council last night lasted three hours. Chief Gay-Ne-Won-Aush was very bitter in denunciation of the manner in which the Chippewas of Minnesota and Dakota were being robbed by the lumbermen. The principal point of the bitterness, he said was not on account of the rest of the Indians, but the way in which the Indians' pine lands are being stolen. They have vainly appealed to Washington for several years, and had not taken matters in their own hands.

"Chief Ning followed with a bitter attack on a deputy marshal, whom he named, and who, he said, was not only arresting the protesting Indians on the trivial charge of the sake of fees, but was one of the principal concerned in the timber deprivations, although it was his duty to prevent them. He named also mixed bloods, who were engaged with white men at Bemidji to steal all the pine of the reservations. He asked for a thorough investigation.

"Although the Indians have ceased hostilities and agreed to meet the commissioners, a general truce days before any definite understanding between them can be reached.

PEACE AND GRUR.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.) Oct. 12.—The Journal correspondent at Cass Lake writes that fewer Indians are seen going south to Leech Lake, and the Indian villages are filling up. The councils held at central points, almost without exception, declare for peace, and ask for gru.

"Some communication at the interior has been resumed, and work has started on the Great Northern extension to Park Rapids.

JONES TAKES CHARGE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Commissioner of Indian Affairs Jones has taken active charge of the Interior Department interests at the scene of the Indian troubles, and today sent the following dispatch: Acting Secretary of the Interior thinks:

"WALKER (Minn.) Oct. 12, 1898.—Secretary of Interior: I am going out to hostiles to hold council. Feel certain can settle matters peacefully."

[Signed] "JONES."

CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY.

Jury Find Towne and Mowatt Guilty—Appeal Made.

[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—The jury in the case of Attorney Edward Owings Towne and John L. Mowatt, charged with conspiracy to wreck the Lumbermen's Building and Loan Association by instituting receivership proceedings, found both defendants guilty. Towne was fined \$1000 and sentenced to the pen. Mowatt was fined \$2000. Both men were released on bonds pending application for a new trial. Towne is a playright of some note, and has been prominent in politics having been candidate for Judge of the Superior Court on the People's ticket a year ago. Mowatt was a clerk in a whole sale dry goods house.

FINICKING FORAKER

BOTHERING HIMSELF ABOUT THE PRESIDENT'S PLANS.

SAYS CONGRESS WILL NOT TOLERATE THE SENDING OF FIFTY THOUSAND MORE MEN TO CUBA.

SHE SHOULD BE LEFT ALONE.

THEN AFTER AWHILE SHE WILL ASK TO BE ANNEXED.

THE OHIOANS ALSO SAY THE PEACE COMMISSION OUGHT NOT TO HAVE BEEN APPOINTED—THE WAR INQUIRY CONTINUED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Foraker of Ohio tells Washington newspaper men that when President McKinley attempts to place 50,000 or so of American soldiers in Cuba to garrison the island, he will bump against some objections by Congress. Senator Foraker says Congress never will tolerate such a performance. He also says this government ought never to have appointed a Peace Commission, because there really was nothing to negotiate. Senator Foraker seems dissatisfied all around, and as he is one of the leading Republicans in the Senate, his interview opens up a new field of action. He says:

"There is no question in my mind what should be done with Cuba. The resolutions passed at the last session of Congress were a demand upon Spain to withdraw the army and navy from Cuba and Cuban waters, and a direction to the President, in the event of reversal, to employ the army and navy of the United States to compel her to abdicate. Coupled with these resolutions was another recognizing and declaring that the people of Cuba were free and independent, and still another resolution pledging the United States government to allow the people of Cuba to select their own government.

"As soon as the Spaniards shall have withdrawn, and peace shall be declared, the powers of the President of the United States in Cuba will have been brought to an end, and he will be master out of service. The soldier boys were met at the station by a vast crowd. Hundreds of school children were present and scattered flowers in the path of the soldiers. A reception was given them at the army, to which the Spaniards reply that the protocol was signed at a critical moment and under so pressing a necessity that it cannot be considered as expressing the sovereign will of a free nation.

WOOD'S SICK MEN.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—A dispatch from Gen. Wood, commanding at San Juan says there are 681 fever cases and 115 deaths.

KITCHEN NOT TRIED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

LEXINGTON (Ky.) Oct. 12.—Owing to supposed excitement regarding the killing of Private Nygran by Provost Guard Able Kitchen, and the sending of Nygran's remains home to Brooklyn, Kitchen was not tried today. Judge Bullock, before whom the case comes up, will probably turn Kitchen over to the resident of Thompson, Ct., where his widow lives. Maj. Beebe was a graduate of West Point.

RAILROAD FOR CUBA.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Secretary Alger will recommend to Congress that the existing railway service in Cuba be continued, so as to form a line running directly from Cienfuegos to Santiago, the company having been mustered out of service.

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REJOICINGS AT FRESNO.

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GOING TO MANILA.

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The appropriation for the station is \$100,000, but an increase to twice that amount will be asked for, as it is intended to make this a model station.

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Tod Sloan's Ups and Downs—Boston Beaten by Washington—Ball by Other Clubs—Auction Sale of Horseflesh.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] LEXINGTON (Ky.), Oct. 12.—After another day of postponement on account of wet weather, the Trotting Horse Breeders' Association resumed its meeting at 10 a.m., with the weather cool and clear and the track in good condition and getting faster as the racing progressed. Split heats and bowl-overing of the favorites were the features.

The chief event of the day was the 2:04 pacing class, in which Directly sold in the pools at \$50 to \$35 for the Gold, Rubenstein and Bumps set the pace in the first heat until the stretch was reached, when Directly and Anaconda had a whipping contest to the wire, the judges giving the decision to Directly. The second heat was won by Anaconda in a hot finish with Chehalis second, Directly third, laboring and by no means up to his Louisville form. The third heat was won handily by Anaconda by two lengths from Directly. Anaconda won the fifth heat and race at dusk from Directly in another whipping finish. Results:

The 2:04 class, trotting, purse \$1000, two heats started Monday: Bessie, Overland, second, and Directly with heats: time 2:13 1/2, 2:15, 2:16. Maggie Less won first heat in 2:16 1/2. Baron Wood, Barometer, Valoise, Chestnut King, Sampson, Buy Baron, Red Tape, Will Lane, Ambrose, Black Robert, Captain, Judge Toley and Bonnacita also started.

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CINCINNATI-LOUISVILLE.

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Cincinnati, 5; base hits, 9; errors, 1. Louisville, 2; base hits, 7; errors, 4. Batteries—Dammann and Wood; Dowling and Warriner.

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At Morris Park.

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One mile: Continental won, Headlight second, Double Quick third; time 1:45.

Hawthorne Whips.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—The track at Hawthorne was slow and the weather cool.

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One mile: Prince Blazons won, Ursula third; time 1:43.

Hurly, one mile and a quarter: Alvarado won, Proverb second, Uncle Jim third; time 2:21.

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Sale of Horses.

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Jumping to the roof of the Rae & Gish drug store he halted behind a projection from the roof of the building he had just left, and emptied the twelve chambers of his two revolvers. Then, springing from cover, Eyster dashed ahead amid the roar of bullets to the roof of the Steel building, the upper story of which is known as Miners' Hall. He either fell or jumped through the skylight and landed in the arms of a crowd of miners, who seized him and carried him downstairs to the street. Other hands seized the almost unconscious man, and he was dragged into the middle of the street.

Local policemen drove back the crowd and carried Eyster to the city square, across the street, and laid him on the grass. Eyster was motionless and supposedly dead. In a few minutes he was seen to raise his hand and wipe the blood from his face. Two men sprang at him, and with the ferocity of tigers began jumping on his body and striking him in the head with stones. With a yell, the angry crowd charged into the square to kill Eyster. The police charged in a body, and fought their way to the center of the mob, where they took a stand over the prostrate, battered, bleeding man. A carrier was procured, and Eyster was taken to the Buckles Hotel. He had been shot through the groin, and is terribly battered up about the head. The physicians say that he has barely a chance for recovery.

The dead miners were removed from the vicinity of the stockade to hotels and livery stables, and the wounded miners were taken on litters to the station and taken to Springfield on the 8 o'clock train.

An Associated Press reporter secured admittance to the stockade late tonight. The list of dead and wounded inside the stockade follows:

Dead:

A. W. MORGAN, Chicago.

Wounded:

H. GRITGESELD, shot in shoulder.

O. J. SNYDER, shot in face and legs.

JAMES SICKLES, Chicago, shot in leg.

FRANK WILDER, Chicago, shot in arm.

THOMAS M'INTEE, Chicago, shot in leg.

Two doctors were at work with the wounded, and communication with them was prohibited.

The stockade surrounds about twenty acres of ground in a square, and is made of pine boards, an inch thick, set edge to edge, about twelve feet high. On each of the four sides, about midway, is a small watch tower, containing a guard armed with a Winchester. There are three entrances, which are closely guarded by half a dozen armed sentries day and night. The fight today occurred at the east entrance. There are about thirty-five big, strong men stationed inside the stockade tonight, each keeping watch through a loophole. The four towers have been destroyed.

Manager Lukens remained at his desk in the office all night, issuing orders to his men. He said tonight: "The blood of every man shed here is on the Governor's head. He is absolutely outside of the law, and has no justification whatever in refusing to send troops. His public statement that the miner had the same right to fight for his property, which was his labor, as the mine-owner did to protect his property, inspired the men to the action which they took today in firing upon the train as soon as it came into our town."

LATER:—Tonight Ed Green of Mt. Olive, a union miner, died of injuries received in today's riot. This makes eight dead.

THE SOLDIERS FIRED.

Ex-Lieutenant of Police Preston Moved and Was Killed.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

VIRDEN (Ill.) Oct. 12.—A detail of militia at 10:50 o'clock tonight killed ex-Lieutenant of Police Tom Preston of Chicago, at the stockade. He was standing outside the stockade as guard. The militia gave the by-standing miners the command to halt, and Preston stepped back to the gate. The militia fired, and he was shot in the stomach. He was carried into the office of the stockade, where he expired.

MORE OF TANNER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Gov. Tanner was interviewed on the long-distance telephone and said:

"I have received a dispatch from Sheriff Davenport at Virden saying that one hundred had been killed and asking that troops be sent immediately. Orders have been issued for the troops to go there. I think the number killed is exaggerated. From information I received by people who came here from Virden on the train carrying the negroes, I do not think that more than thirty were killed, but a great many were wounded. The killing seems to have been done by the deputies on the train, as nearly all of those killed and wounded were striking miners. My information is that very few of the deputies were hurt. It is, however, not altogether reliable. The trains came to Springfield and three or four bodies were removed there. The negroes were not unloaded in Springfield. The train went north, I understand, and stopped at Sherman, the destination of the train being Bloomington."

CHARGES THEM WITH MURDER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Oct. 12.—In an interview with Gov. Tanner this evening regarding the Virden riot, he said:

"Mr. T. C. Louck, president, and Mr. Lukens, superintendent of the Virden Coal Company, told their men to load a train load of imported laborers from the South, and attempted to put them to work in their mines at the point of the bayonet, and the muzzle of the Winchester—such laborers being drawn largely, if not entirely, from the criminal class, ex-convicts, who learned their trade while doing time in the penitentiary, who has hidden."

RAILROAD OFFICIALS' REPORT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—The officials of the Chicago and Alton road, at 2:45 p.m. made the following statement to the Associated Press:

"We have just received a report that

forty miners and six officers were killed in a riot at Virden. Ill. D. B. Killey, one of the watchmen sent from here yesterday to guard the switches of our road, was one of the killed. These switchmen were sent down to Virden for the express purpose of operating the switches, and were instructed to go unarmed. They were also instructed to inform the striking miners that they (the switchmen) did not come to help the negroes, but simply to help operate the Chicago and Alton Railroad."

SITUATION AT SPRINGFIELD.

Fourteen of the Victims Brought on Two Trains.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Oct. 12.—The special train on the Chicago and Alton which brought the Alabama negroes from Virden, had eight wounded men, all dentures, except one, who was a negro miner, who were taken to the Springfield City Hospital. One of these men died tonight, William W. Carroll, a deputy sheriff. He was shot three times, one bullet passing through his neck from the right side, another passing into the temple in the right side, and the third entered the brain over the eye, crushing the skull. The others were the hired guards, who were brought along by the coal company. Most of them all of them, were non-residents of Illinois. There is no means of learning their names or where abouts, for the reason that they declined to give them out, knowing, perhaps, that they are criminally liable for murder, as they had no permission from the officers Illinois, authorizing or deputizing them to act as deputy marshals or deputy sheriffs.

"Instantly on learning of the trouble, I directed Adj't-Gen. Reece to order Capt. Craig of the Galesburg Battery and one company of the Sons of Veterans to proceed at once to Virden, to the scene of the trouble. Gen.

Reece accompanied Capt. Craig, and I have instructed Gen. Reece to quell the riot and maintain order, protect life and property, to disarm all persons, arms, and to not allow imported laborers to enter any train within the limits of the city, nor to march in a body.

"These avaricious mine-owners, who have so far forgotten their duty to society as to bring about this blot upon the fair name of our State, have gone far enough; yes, too far, as they had fair warning from the press, by the importation of labor which brings to our State, an undesirable class of citizens had to stop. And I say now, to such and all others, that this is a thing of the past, that it shall not be repeated in Illinois while I am Governor. These men, the president and officers of this company, who participated in this riot, by the bringing of imported labor, are guilty of murder, and I believe will be indicted by the grand jury of Macoupin county, and tried and convicted for this helious offense.

WILLIAM CLARKSON, an inmate of the Soldiers' Home at Leavenworth, Kan., a deputy; skull crushed, will die. H. A. KYGER, Bloomington, engineer on train; shot through arm.

WILLIAM MASSER of St. Louis, deputy; shot through head, shoulder and hands, probably recovered.

JAMES PALMER, deputy sheriff; shot in left side of face, arm and side, will recover. Palmer had just been mustered out of the Third Nebraska Regiment. He refused to give his home.

PATRICK M'KAY of Virden, employed by the operators of the Chicago-Virden shafts; bullet went through his skull, will die.

ERNEST RYAN, a colored miner from Alabama; bullet went through head, will recover.

JOHN M. HUNTER of Pontiac, the president of the Illinois District of the United Mine Workers of America, lies at the Collins House in a critical condition.

Hunter got on the train which bore the colored miners to this city this afternoon and engaged in conversation with two of the colored miners. Some of the deputy sheriffs saw Hunter, and when he was about to enter North Grand avenue and the north shaft, and was going at the rate of eighteen miles an hour, it is estimated, the deputies attacked Hunter and pushed him off the train. A man who happened along in a buggy saw Hunter lying near the track in an unconscious condition, and placed him in his buggy and took him to the Collins House. He is still unconscious.

Gov. Tanner tonight wired the War Department, asking if the Fifth Illinois Infantry could not be placed at his disposal for use at Virden. Col. Culver, the commander of the Fifth, has tendered his services and those of the regiment to the Governor.

A RIDDLED TRAIN.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—President C. W. Riddle of the Chicago-Virden Company, who arrived at 9:30 o'clock tonight from the vicinity of the trouble, made the following statement to the Associated Press:

"Our position has been defined right along by the press, as the public can ascertain, and we simply desire to state that our employees arrived at Virden about 12:30 today. We stopped the train opposite the gates, so that the men could go from the train into our works, when immediately the mob fired from all directions, and, very naturally, our men defended themselves. The consequences in full we do not positively know as yet.

"As to our future action, we propose to follow in the future as we have in the past legal procedure in the obtaining of our legal rights, and shall take proper steps to secure redress against those who planned, aided, abetted or participated in the riot of today, whether they are miners, miners' officials, State officials or others.

"We shall determine before, we are through, whether the government of this State can class our colored population as ex-convicts, scalawags, etc., with impunity, and whether the colored miners have the same rights under the Constitution as we, the white and pleasure of the government of Illinois. We shall determine for ourselves and others in this State just how far a Governor can annul and evade the duties placed upon him by the Constitution and statutes of this State."

POLICE FORCE DISCHARGED.

(A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.)

PANA (Ill.) Oct. 12.—Mayor Penwell, who is the son of a prominent coal operator, has discharged the entire police force, including them, it is said, with sympathy for the strikers. New men were sworn in, but eight of the ten City Councilmen announce that the new officers will be removed at the next Council meeting.

ROSEBERRY'S WARNING.

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VIRDEN (Ill.) Oct. 12.—A detail of militia at 10:50 o'clock tonight killed ex-Lieutenant of Police Tom Preston of Chicago, at the stockade. He was standing outside the stockade as guard. The militia gave the by-standing miners the command to halt, and Preston stepped back to the gate. The militia fired, and he was shot in the stomach. He was carried into the office of the stockade, where he expired.

MORE OF TANNER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Gov. Tanner was interviewed on the long-distance telephone and said:

"I have received a dispatch from Sheriff Davenport at Virden saying that one hundred had been killed and asking that troops be sent immediately. Orders have been issued for the troops to go there. I think the number killed is exaggerated. From information I received by people who came here from Virden on the train carrying the negroes, I do not think that more than thirty were killed, but a great many were wounded. The killing seems to have been done by the deputies on the train, as nearly all of those killed and wounded were striking miners. My information is that very few of the deputies were hurt. It is, however, not altogether reliable. The trains came to Springfield and three or four bodies were removed there. The negroes were not unloaded in Springfield. The train went north, I understand, and stopped at Sherman, the destination of the train being Bloomington."

CHARGES THEM WITH MURDER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Oct. 12.—In an interview with Gov. Tanner this evening regarding the Virden riot, he said:

"Mr. T. C. Louck, president, and Mr. Lukens, superintendent of the Virden Coal Company, told their men to load a train load of imported laborers from the South, and attempted to put them to work in their mines at the point of the bayonet, and the muzzle of the Winchester—such laborers being drawn largely, if not entirely, from the criminal class, ex-convicts, who learned their trade while doing time in the penitentiary, who has hidden."

RAILROAD OFFICIALS' REPORT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—The officials of the Chicago and Alton road, at 2:45 p.m. made the following statement to the Associated Press:

"We have just received a report that

that her population is less determined than ever to maintain her rights and the honor of her flag, they make a mistake that can only end in disastrous conflagration. The strength of British ministries does not lie in the votes they can command in Parliament, but in the strong support of the people. Let other nations remember that cordiality between nations can only rest upon mutual respect for one another's rights. Both Africa and Asia have recently furnished strange object-lessons in international affairs of unwise people. Let

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"The speech was punctuated with loud cheers.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

(Day Dispatches Condensed.)

At Syracuse, N. Y., yesterday the International Typographical Union selected Detroit as the place of meeting in 1899, by a vote of 125 to 8 for Boston, and 10 for Niagara Falls.

The annual report of the Great Northern Railway Company shows: Total income, \$3,571,768; an increase of \$114,501; surplus after dividends, \$20,768; increase, \$86,501.

The dead body of James Prall, a farmer living near Middlebury, O., was found yesterday in his house, with a bullet hole through his head. Four bullets were in her body. The inference was that Prall shot his wife and then killed himself.

The annual report of the superintendent of the Military Academy is made this year to the War Department, by Lieut.-Col. O. H. Lyne, who commands the academy.

Cardinal Gibbons, who is here attending the meeting of the archbishops of the Catholic Church, yesterday announced that the Pope had appointed Archbishop Chappelle of New Orleans as apostolic delegate to Cuba. His new field being a special mission. Archbishop Chappelle is now at the

COAST RECORD.

JUMPED THE TRACK.

WEST-BOUND FREIGHT TRAIN WRECKED AT HAVEL.

Cars thrown clean over the engine and rolled down a fifty-foot embankment.

CREW VERY BADLY SCALDED.

EAST-BOUND TRAVEL DELAYED FOR SEVEN HOURS.

Augustine Burtinier Confesses KILLING Brown-Masonic Home Dedicated at Decoto-Rear-end Train Smash in Oregon.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

TEMPLETON, Oct. 12.—West-bound freight train No. 34, on the California, was wrecked at Havel, about seven miles from here, today. The engine and several cars left the track on a sharp curve, rolling down an embankment fifty feet. The engine, tender and three cars jumped over and ahead of the engine.

The engineer, McIntyre, the fireman and two brakemen were on the engine at the time and were badly scalded. Engineer McIntyre was badly scalded about the head, and also had his head badly cut. Brakeman Clem Powers was very badly scalded. The fireman and the other brakemen were not seriously injured. The men were taken to San Luis Obispo on special train.

The track was cleared at a late hour this afternoon. All east-bound trains were delayed seven hours. The cause of the wreck is as yet unknown.

BURTINIER KILLED BROWN.

But He Will not Say Much About the Tragedy.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN JOSE, Oct. 12.—Augustine Burtinier has confessed to an Associated Press reporter that he killed Frank Brown. In an interview at the County Jail this morning, he said: "I killed that man; he tried to catch me."

This is the first time the man has consented to talk of the crime. When he was seen he was asked where he was going yesterday morning; if he had been hunting before Brown was killed. The fellow is full of hearing, and in addition is bold and impudent, and seems to have lost all his fear. After some hesitancy, he said in slow, careful words that he was after birds.

"Where were you going?" he was asked.

"To the Tully place," he answered.

"Had you been hunting before you saw Brown?"

The man hung his head and looked steadily at the floor, his lips twitching, but he said not a word. The question was repeated: "Had you been hunting?"

Then the man threw up his head and interjected: "I killed that man; he tried to catch me."

He would say no more and refused to make any explanation, dropping into a sulken silence which he continued to hold. For a moment before the Coroner's jury it would appear that the man was out for a hunt when he crossed Brown's field, at which time the killing occurred. If this be not true, then some explanation as to why he was there with a gun will be in order.

POISONOUS CANNED LOBSTER.

Two Men Dead and Another Dangerously Ill.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

RAILIER (Or.) Oct. 12.—J. L. Jones, J. P. Young and Walter Furrow ate canned lobster and shrimp here Saturday, and as a result Jones and Young are dead, and Furrow is at St. Vincent's Hospital, Portland, in a dangerous condition. The men were not taken ill until Sunday afternoon. Monday morning they were much worse, but a physician was not sent for until Tuesday. When the doctor arrived Jones and Young were both dead and Furrow was removed to Portland.

SALVADOR CUSTOMS.

Horrible Cruelties Perpetrated on Political Prisoners.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—The steamer City of Pana, arrived today from South American ports. The vessel brings news of executions and horrible cruelties perpetrated upon political prisoners in Salvador.

Referring to the execution of prisoners, El Clarion says that at Armenia, a small city of the Republic, Los Yunes de Izaico, a prominent citizen, was shot, while Don Angel Vasquez and Don Delfin Barrios died in prison as the result of cruelties on the part of Gen. Aravalio. In the Police Station Don Venanzio Salazar and Don Jesus Valdes were tried by the thumbs and Col. Don Francisco Barrios and Gen. Virgilio Valencio were shot. These officers distinguished themselves in the army under the régime of the President.

Continuing that the editor of El Clarion was also a victim. The ladies have been exiled from Salvador, whom he is the wife of Don Macario Martinez, one of the most prominent citizens of Salvador City. Furthermore, under the direction of Gen. Villegas, five persons were shot in San Pedro, while at San Miguel many were executed by Gen. Villa Vicencio.

It appears also that the editor of El Clarion, a journal of Salvador, incurred the displeasure of the government, owing to the publication of several articles in his journal in defense of certain students. For this he was publicly whipped, as was also the Judge who rendered a decision in favor of the students.

MASONIC HOME.

Impressive Dedication Exercises Held Yesterday at Decoto.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

DECOTO, Oct. 12.—The dedication of the Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home at Decoto today was an event of much importance in the history of Free Masonry in California. The incidents were fourfold; the first was the impressive parade down Market street in San Francisco to the ferry; the second event was the reforming of the parade at the station at Decoto, and the march across the level field to the magnificent home on a hill about a mile west of Decoto.

It was high noon when the first train bearing several hundred Masons and their families arrived, and the train dumped their human load of freight into the level town. Then came a wait of an hour, when the three special trains arrived and discharged their cargo, until there were 1500 Masons and as many more spectators.

The parade proceeded immediately after the arrival of the specials, and headed by Grand Marshal Edwards, and his staff, and followed by the members of the Grand Lodge, and members of the various lodges, and Golden Gate Commandery of Knights Templar, with their plumed hats and glittering regalia, marched through a large level field and a winding road to the big building, where a vast workroom and a semi-circle was formed around the massive front steps, upon which were grouped the speakers and grand officers.

Hundreds of people constantly swarmed through the big structure, for the occasion was well known, and the architectural beauties of the home. Hundreds of people had preceded the procession to the hill, and stood about watching its approach, and were rewarded by a beautiful sight of the

marching post. The ceremonies began by the singing of "America" by the crowd; then followed an address by Charles L. Patton, who, as chairman of the board of directors of the Grand Lodge officers. Rabbi Voorsanger and Senator Perkins followed with speeches of some length, and amid the strains of the band, the impressive ceremonies were concluded.

CORNER-STONE CEREMONY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

DECOTO, Oct. 12.—Two years ago this month the corner-stone of the big structure was laid with imposing ceremony, in the presence of 10,000 people, and the number of visitors today will probably exceed that number. The house is situated upon a high hill about half a mile from town. It overlooks the beautiful Santa Clara Valley on the south, and on the north San Francisco can be seen. The view is one of the most splendid in the State, and it was owing to this attraction and to other advantages of the place, that Decoto was selected for the location of the home.

UPHAM'S MONEY.

Court Decides in Favor of Good Templars' Home.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—The Good Templars' Home for Orphans at Valles has won its suit in the matter of the contest of the will of E. I. Upham, and will come in for a bequest of one-third of the entire amount of the property, which it is expected will be \$200,000. Upham, at his death, devised \$80,000 to his relatives, cutting off without a cent to his two brothers who would have been heirs. The two brothers contested the will, and the decision rendered today by Judge A. J. Buckles of Solano disposes of the matter. By the terms of the decision the home is to be given one-third of the entire value of the estate, and the remaining two-thirds is to go to those named in the will.

HOUSE OF BISHOPS

Elect Officers—Will Meet Next at San Francisco.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The deputies of the Episcopalian triennial conference today, after a long discussion, adopted the following article:

"Dioceses and missionary districts may be united into provinces in such manner, under such conditions, and with such powers as shall be provided by canon of the general convention; provided, however, that no diocese shall be included in the provinces without its consent."

Article 8 of the proposed new convention, relating to the qualifications of priests and deacons, necessary to examination and consecration, was taken up. An amendment proposed by Rev. Dr. Easton of Los Angeles was adopted, providing that in the declarations of belief, required of bishops, priests and deacons, the word "Trinitarian" shall be in the singular form as representing the fundamental principle of belief of the church, and issued to the plural form, which sets forth its teachings.

A message was received from the house of bishops announcing the selection of Dr. Easton as the new president of the council of 1901. The bishops spent the entire afternoon in consideration of the canon relating to the re-marriage of divorced persons, but without finishing it, adjourned until tomorrow.

The officers elected to the convention was a meeting today of the American church building fund commission. The annual report showed that its fund amounts to \$343,990, an increase during the last three years of \$68,000. A motion that the scope of the fund be enlarged so as to mean money to erect rectories and schools houses, was referred to the board of missions.

The officers elected include the following: President, Rt. Rev. John Williams; vice-presidents, Rt. Revs. Henry D. Whipple, William C. Doane, George D. Gilmore, Thomas A. Starkey, Cortlandt Whitehead and Bissell Johnson of Los Angeles, Nichols of California, and Talbot of Central Pennsylvania; secretary-general, James G. Wilson; corresponding secretary, Rev. J. Newton Perkins; treasurer, George C. Thomas of Philadelphia, and assistant treasurer, E. W. Roberts of New York; also a board of seventeen trustees.

AMERICA AT PARIS.

Commissioner-General Peck Arriving for Space There.

[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—A dispatch to the Herald from Paris says Ferdinand W. Peck, commissioner-general to the Paris Exposition, said, in an interview:

"The director-general officially informs us that some of the requests for additional space made by me in behalf of the American exhibitors, have been granted. Since my arrival in Paris I have been devoting myself to this question. In the original allotment the section set aside for the United States amounted to about 900,000 square feet. This was not enough by half. I pointed this out to the exposition officials, and told them of the enormous number of manufacturers who desire to be represented by their products, and impressed upon them the fact that great enthusiasm prevailed in the United States in regard to the exposition, so that it was not a question of how much space we wanted, but how much they would give. We wanted, I said, every inch that was obtainable.

I have already secured concessions bringing up the allotment of about 1,000,000 square feet, and I am now satisfied that it will finally be not less than 250,000. When I return to the United States early in November, I shall be able to state exactly what our American exhibitors can count upon. Until then it will be impossible to proceed with the work of distribution."

GRAND ENCAMPMENT.

Knights Propose Amendments to Their Constitution.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 12.—The Grand Encampment of the Knights Templars resumed its meeting today in Carnegie Hall. Past Grand Master James H. Hopkins of Washington, D. C., proposed two amendments to the constitution. In one it was proposed to amend Section 3 of Article I so as to read:

"A stated conclave shall be held triennially in Washington, D. C., on the second Tuesday of October, unless the Grand Encampment shall, at a stated conclave, designate some other time and place."

The other proposed to amend Section 1, Article 1, by placing the Grand Prelate next in line after the Grand Master.

The resolution denouncing the army cannot be adopted and set aside.

She had incurred the flames.

Fire at the Mammoth Mine.

REDDING, Oct. 12.—Word reached this city today of the destruction by fire last night of the engine-room of the Mammoth mine, in Old Diggins district. The origin of the fire is mysterious. A thirty-gallon tank of gasoline, in the building exploded, and shot flames 150 feet in the air.

Good Templars Social.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—The second day's session of the Independent Order of Good Templars was well attended. Resolutions denouncing the army cannot be adopted and set aside.

The evening was devoted to a social entertainment.

Brakeman Run Over.

VISALIA, Oct. 12.—Charles Keating, brakeman of a Southern Pacific construction train, fell between the cars at Farmersville today. The wheels passed over both his legs, and he died within three hours. He was 30 years old, and lived in Fresno.

Oregon Rear-end Smash.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 12.—In a rear-end collision between two freight trains on the O. R. and N. W. two engines and a number of freight cars were badly demolished. No one was injured.

Gustave Walter's Estate.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—The estate of Gustav Walter has been ap-

praised at \$171,804. Of this amount \$53,289 is represented by money in bank and \$25,000 by Walter's interest in the Walter Orpheum Company. Many promissory notes held by the estate are appraised as of no value. Frederick W. Lees, Maritz Friedlander and John B. Curtis acted as appraisers.

Invitations to a Kick-off.

SAN QUENTIN, Oct. 12.—Warden Hale has issued about thirty-five invitations to witness the execution of John Miller, Friday, for the murder of Charles Childs in San Francisco. The gallows is ready, and the rope is being stretched.

Carbolic on the "Tenderloin."

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Girl Seriously Burned.

REDDING, Oct. 12.—While out riding today a carelessly dropped match set fire to the skirts of Miss Carrie Bassett. Before the flames could be extinguished the young lady was seriously burned, but she will recover.

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AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

BURBANK. The Leading Man.
OPHEUM. Vaudeville.

A COWARDLY ATTACK.

A. J. Johnston, Republican candidate for State Printer, has been made the object of a mean and cowardly attack, by some person or persons unknown. This attack is in the form of an anonymous circular, which has been distributed broadcast throughout the State. The circular is in effect a rehash of the charges made some two years ago against the management of the State printing office, by Gov. Budd. These charges, as is shown by the records, were thoroughly investigated, and were pronounced untrue, by a special committee appointed by the Legislature of 1897. This committee, in its report to the Legislature, said:

"The testimony taken has been very full, and much time has been devoted to this hearing. And, having given the whole subject careful consideration, we are of the opinion that the office of Superintendent of State Printing has been conducted on business principles, and with economy and a due regard for the public interests."

The motives which impelled Gov. Budd to make his unwarranted attack upon the management of the State printing office may never be definitely revealed. But it is notorious fact that he acted in consonance with the book ring, which was using every means within its power to destroy the State school book system. At all events the Governor, after Mr. Johnston had been fully vindicated by the investigation and report of the Legislative committee, refused to recognize the report as an exoneration, and did his utmost to cripple the efficiency of the State printing office by vetoing the appropriation for its support made by the Legislature.

The foregoing is a matter of State history. The anonymous circular above referred to is an unwarranted and an unworthy sequel to the foundationless attack upon State Printer Johnston two years ago. The fact that this latest attack is anonymous is enough to condemn it in the eyes of all decent men. The further fact that it has been made upon the eve of election, affording no adequate opportunity for the candidate attacked to defend himself against the accusations of his enemies, is proof conclusive that the assault is inspired by malice and founded upon falsehood.

Commenting upon this anonymous attack, the Sacramento Bee says, with terseness and force:

PASADENA.

Pasadena is considering the question of celebrating its twenty-fifth, or silver anniversary, which occurs on the 27th of January next. This brings to mind the remarkable growth made by the Crown of the Valley during so short a space of time. How many cities in the United States can show such a wonderful transformation, from a barren sheep pasture to a beautiful, modern city of ten thousand people, within a quarter of a century? There may be some places which have made an equally wonderful growth, but it will be found that they were located either in the midst of a fertile and productive agricultural section, or at some point with exceptional commercial facilities, or in a location where a rich discovery of mineral had been made. Pasadena was located on what, during a large part of the year, was a dry and forbidding tract of land, remote from communication, and furnishing only a scanty sustenance to sheep, so that the consciences of the seller smote him when he obtained from the purchasers the high price of \$6 an acre.

In an interesting review of Pasadena's early history, given by the News, it is shown that the first meeting to discuss the settlement of the "Indiana Colony" on the San Pasqual ranch, was held in Los Angeles, on November 13, 1873, in the office of Berry and Elliott. At this meeting a company was formed, known as the San Gabriel Orange Grove Association, to exist ten years, with a capital stock of \$25,000, divided into a hundred shares of \$250 each. After incorporating, these pioneers purchased in the following month the interests of Dr. J. S. Griffin, who recently died in Los Angeles, in the San Pasqual ranch. For 3933 acres they paid \$25,000. The choicest part of the tract, where Pasadena is located, was subdivided into small homes, varying in size from fifteen to sixty acres. On January 27, 1874, each stockholder selected his home place, exchanging for fifteen acres one share of stock, costing \$250. In addition to the 1400 acres of dry land, where Altadena is now, with its beautiful residences and homes.

The people of Pasadena should certainly have a grand celebration to mark the twenty-fifth mile stone, in the Crown of the Valley's wonderful progress.

Announcement is made that Miss Annie M. Fowler of Springfield, Ill., who was a Red Cross nurse during the war, is to be married to a Belgian nobleman. We trust Miss Fowler is to be congratulated. That the nobleman is to be congratulated goes without saying. No man is too noble to wed a Red Cross nurse.

Tod Sloan has now gone over to Paris to show the French just how an agricultural horse race ought to be ridden. He did not win with his first mount, to be sure, but keep your eye on Tod, he will get there shortly.

THE BLOODSHED AT VIRDEN.

At length the strained situation at Virden, Ill., has brought forth its expected results of rioting and bloodshed. The "unarmed" strikers, in their efforts to prevent the importation of laborers to do the work which they refuse to do, have brought on a conflict in which a number of lives—variously estimated at from ten to fifty—have been sacrificed, while an unknown and unknowable number of persons have been wounded.

The history of the strike at Virden is a repetition of the history of labor strikes in other sections, with some non-essential variations. The employes of the Chicago-Virden Coal Company were dissatisfied with the wages paid them, and quit work. They had an undoubted right to quit employment with which they were dissatisfied, and had they stopped there, further trouble would have ensued. But, as is often the case, they sought to prevent other laborers from accepting the employment which they had refused. The company brought in men from other sections to operate their mines, and the result has been a reign of terror, culminating in rioting and bloodshed.

In this case, as in others of its kind, the central questions, if not the only vital questions, are these: Has the mining company a legal right to employ other laborers to take the places of its striking employes? If so, has it a right to bring such other laborers from another State, or from other sections of the same State, to take the places of the strikers? And have laboring men, outside of Virden, a right to accept the employment offered them? To these questions there can be but one rational, logical and just answer. The company has a legal right to employ whom it chooses. It has an unquestioned, legal right to bring them from another State, or from other sections of the same State. And the men thus offered employment, being free and independent citizens of this republic, have an undeniably right to accept the employment offered them.

These premises and conclusions are so obviously just and right that it would seem no rational man could dispute them. Yet the Governor of Illinois, Mr. Tanner, appears, from the dispatches, to take a different view. Referring to the Sheriff's request for troops to preserve order, and his instructions to the militia, Gov. Tanner is quoted as saying:

"I shall give Capt. Craig, who will command the troops at Virden, orders to suppress riot, protect life and property and to not allow unorganized laborers to be unloaded at that place. Since the mine-owners have carried out their threat, influenced by avarice of gain, to precipitate riot and bloodshed, I now propose that they shall not further disturb the peace of this State. The mine-owners and managers are responsible for and guilty of the murders brought about by this conflict and should be indicted by the Grand Jury of Macoupin county for murder, and I believe they will be."

These are indeed remarkable words to come from the Governor of a State.

So far as can be judged from the dispatches, the mine-owners have not violated the law, but have simply exercised their undoubted right to employ men who are willing to do the work in their mines at the terms offered. Is there any law in the State of Illinois forbidding the employment in case of a strike, from outside the zone of the strike? If such a law exists, the mine-owners have violated it; otherwise they are within the law and can claim protection from the State.

What right has Gov. Tanner to instruct the officers commanding the militia to prevent the landing of laborers from outside in Virden? Is he not, in doing so, himself violating the law? And is he not, by his attitude of encouragement for the strikers in their plain violations of law responsible, in a large degree, for the bloodshed?

The principal question is: Who are the real violators of the law? If it be the mine-owners, they should be punished. If it be the strikers, they should receive punishment. But until it can be shown that the mining company has no right to bring laborers from the outside, and that those laborers have no right to accept the employment offered them, the course outlined by Gov. Tanner, in his instructions to the militia, must be regarded as illegal and unjustifiable.

THE TOTEM IN SAN DIEGO.

A petition was recently presented to the Board of Supervisors of San Diego county, from the Typographical Union of that city, asking that an ordinance be adopted requiring that all printed matter for the county should hereafter bear the label, or totem, of the Typographical Union. In other words these petitioners, who are members of a secret, proscriptive organization, ask that all the public printing, to be done in the county, shall be given to members of their organization, although there are numerous printing establishments in the county which are independent of the Typographical Union combine, and which are as well equipped for doing the public printing as are the printing offices which wear the shackles of the Typographical Union.

The Board of Supervisors of San Diego county disposed of the petition, for the time being, by laying it on the table. It should be allowed to repose there permanently. To grant the request of the totemites, by adopting an ordinance such as they desire, would be class legislation of the rankest, the most unreasonable and the most unjust kind. The Board of Supervisors has no moral right, and probably no legal right, to grant a request so preposterous and absurd. The expenses of the county printing are paid out of the public funds, collected from the taxpayers of the county at large. Only an infinitesimal proportion of these taxpayers are members of or sympathizers with the Typographical Union.

Even were the charges in the circular true, instead of maliciously as they are, they would be entitled to no consideration coming, as they do, at this, the last moment, the attack is beneath notice. It is contemptible beyond expression, and confidently believe that the voters of California will express themselves regard to such dastardly methods a voice so loud that it will henceforth be known just how they regard anonymous attacks on the character of a candidate, especially when those attacks are made at a time too brief to allow the candidate to reply, and more especially

The great majority are non-unionists, and it would be a grave wrong to divert to the support of the union the money which these non-union taxpayers pay into the public treasury for the support of the governmental organization.

In the matter of public printing, or of public work of any kind, there should be open and free competition. Every citizen is by right entitled to compete for any work of a public character. Neither the Board of Supervisors of a county, nor any citizen serving the public in an official capacity, has a right to take cognizance of the Typographical Union, or of any other organization, secret or otherwise, in the distribution of public favors. So far as the public printing is concerned, it should be open to free and untrammeled competition, and the Supervisors of San Diego county will make a monumental blunder if they permit themselves to be bulldozed into an official recognition of the totemites, or of any other class, faction, clique or combination of self-seekers.

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An Iowa woman has committed suicide by eating spiders. This is the very latest route opened for passage to the sweet bye and bye.

So long as Esterhazy is a member of the Legion of Honor, its badge is one of disgrace to whoever wears it.

The United States will pay the Cuban debt when the pigs begin to fly, Sagasta, and not sooner.

Old Glory is now floating over Manzanillo, and the sight must be good for Cuban sore eyes.

Spain's Minister of Colonies begins to resemble a man about to be minus a job.

Blanco's typewriter seems to have secured a much-needed rest.

ago and learned his folly in the school of bitter experience.

The Valley road is moving right along with its track laying, and when it begins to reach out in this direction the people of the country south of Tehachapi will be excused if they rise up and utter a war whoop loud enough to disturb the peace of nations.

The President's tour westward is one continual ovation; and why not? Maj. McKinley is the ideal American President, the pride of the people, the admired man of all the world. He has gained the nation's applause by deserving it.

St. Louis naturally objects to being a cess-pool for Chicago, and the Board of Health of the city of the Mississippi has asked Congressman Barthold to introduce a bill in the House of Representatives to shut off Chicago's connections.

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The Times**THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.**

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Oct. 13.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.99; at 5 p.m. 29.90. Thermometer for corresponding hours showed 57 deg. east., 56 deg. east. at 5 a.m.; 56 deg. east., 55 deg. east. at 5 p.m. Wind, 5 a.m., west, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, velocity 4 miles. Character of weather, clear. Maximum temperature, 56 deg.; minimum temperature, 48 deg. Rainfall for season, .02 of an inch. Barometer reduced to sea level.

DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.

Los Angeles 59 San Francisco 56

San Diego 54 Portland 48

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The barometer was highest this morning in southern Oregon and lowest in southern Arizona. The temperature has fallen slightly on the Pacific Slope, extending from the Pacific Coast to the Rockies, excepting a slight rise in central California and Arizona. Rain has fallen in Oregon, Washington and on the northern California coast.

FORECASTS.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Thursday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—For Southern California: Fair Thursday, continued warm; fresh west wind.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

If the improvements proposed at Long Beach shall be carried out, that place will become, even more than now, one of the most delightful resorts along the coast.

The raising of apples has not generally been thought the most successful industry in the coast regions of Southern California, but the report comes from Ventura county that the apple crop this year leads all others in the vicinity of Saticoy, Montalvo and Ventura.

The profits possible from a small amount of land, well cultivated, has been again illustrated by H. Phelps of Santa Ana, who, during the berry season just closing, has sold \$500 worth of strawberries from but two-thirds of an acre of ground, and has made a clear profit of \$850 from but eight acres.

The citizens of San Diego have come to the conclusion that there is no longer any pressing danger of an attack from Spanish pirates, and accordingly the regiment of minutemen down there has been mustered out, and their swords and bayonets have been turned into pruning hooks and plowshares.

If the learned gentleman of the committee representing the National Educational Association do not find Los Angeles to be one of the most attractive places they have ever visited, their judgment will differ from that of the rest of the population of the United States who have been here. As for hotel accommodations, street-car facilities, etc., they will find none better anywhere. Of the cordiality of the people, they will judge for themselves.

Fourty-five pages of the big register at the Los Angeles county exhibit in Omaha, filled with autographs of visitors in one day, indicates that that exhibit is attracting attention. The idea which resulted in the giving away of 10,000 olive branches sent from here, as an offering at the peace jubilee, was a happy one. It looks from this distance as if the making of an exhibit there from this county would prove an excellent investment. It pays to advertise, and this exhibit is a good advertisement.

Battery D. Capt. Steere, is to go aboard the Senator on Saturday to sail for Manila on Sunday. During all the long months this battery has been lying in camp at San Francisco, there have been no complaints of ill treatment or threats of violence. The men have had a captain in whom they could trust and for whom they had respect; consequently they have borne their hardships and disappointments without murmuring. Their friends will rejoice that they are at last to have a part in restoring peace, if not in the more serious part of war.

RAILROAD RECORD.

HITCH ON THE BLAKE ROAD.

Port Harford as a Terminal—Some Notes and Personalities.

From news which crops out here it appears there is some hitch in the extension of the California Eastern road, which now runs twenty-seven miles northeast from Blake, a station on the Santa Fe, just west of Needles, to Manvel, in the Vanderbilt mining district. The news came from Denver that bonds had been sold to build forty-seven miles of the road northeasterly from Manvel to Colanevada, a place in Nevada just east of the California State line. This appears to be premature. But it is no way affects the Utah and Pacific road, as the people who are interested in the extension, on which track-laying has been action, have always said that their enterprise was in no way connected with Mayor Blake's, but that their intention is to build to Los Angeles.

Railroad men are all understand that there is nothing serious in the news sent out from Salt Lake that this new road would seek to utilize the little branch now operated from San Luis Obispo to Port Harford. That landing is in a place entirely exposed to severe southwest storms, so that the artificial means.

W. H. Russell, formerly road foreman of engines for the Southern Pacific, with headquarters in Los Angeles, has been promoted to assistant manager mechanics in the shops at Oakland, and J. C. Martin, a brother of Julius Martin, and formerly fuel expert for the company, will take Mr. Russell's place. Mr. Martin's old place will be made vacant.

A. G. Wells, general superintendent of the Santa Fe, returned last night from a trip East.

Ames Burr, general passenger agent of the Vanderbilt lines, returned to San Luis Obispo last night, having spent a week in Los Angeles.

The delegates of the National Educational Association, who are here to make arrangements for the convention which meets in Los Angeles next June, were invited to spend today at Mt. Lowe. The Los Angeles and Pasadena electric road, and the Mt. Lowe road join in this courtesy to the visitors. They will be accompanied by F. Q. Story and H. Siegel on behalf of the "Troup" of Los Angeles Ladies.

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MINSTRELS FOR CHARITY.

THE PARLIAMENT CLOSES**ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR THE COMING YEAR.**

Many interesting and instructive papers are read and discussed. Vote of thanks tendered the retiring officers—The meetings largely attended.

The Hidden Hand.

The large audience that gathered in Unity Church yesterday morning indicated the growing interest in the Woman's Parliament.

The first thing on the programme was the election of officers for the coming year. Mrs. Reetta V. Haddon of San Bernardino was elected president. Mrs. Haddon is a successful newspaper woman, a bright speaker and a thoughtful scholar. She has been a district officer of the parliament for years. Her work has always been well and carefully done, and perhaps no other member of the parliament, outside of Los Angeles, has done more to extend interest in the organization. Mrs. Haddon's maxim is "Help those who are willing to help themselves." She is president of the Wednesday Afternoon Literary Club of San Bernardino, where she is also Past Commander of the Lady Macabees. Past Noble Grand of the Rebekah Lodge, and a member of the Rathbone Sisters. The new secretary is Dr. Sarah J. May of El Cajon, where she is a successful physician. She is also interested in literary work.

Mrs. Margaret Kirk of San Bernardino was elected treasurer of the parliament. She is a substantial business woman, a member of the Wednesday Afternoon Literary Club, and a lively, enthusiastic, bright woman. She has shown herself capable of managing her own wide business affairs, and therefore is trusted with the financial affairs of the parliament.

The first paper on the programme was entitled "The Voice of the Minority," and was prepared and read by Mrs. Reetta V. Haddon, the new president.

"Competition of Men and Women in Business," was the subject of a paper read by Mrs. Francis M. Moore of Redlands. Mrs. Moore has always believed that woman's best place was in the home; that her finer sensibilities were blunted when she competed with men in the business world; that woman is incapable physically to compete with men in a business way.

The paper entitled "The Problem of the City," and read by Miss Mary D. Westcott, was the strong paper of the day. Miss Westcott began with an appeal to the patriotism of the women of the parliament, urging that the men who offered themselves in their country's service against a foreign foe the women might offer themselves to fight the evil of the cities, urging as a reason therefor that the unusually high death rate of American cities when compared with foreign cities is due to the same density of population.

Let the women study social problems; let them make the acquaintance of local conditions of the local public servants; let them unite to work for the better; let them throw the same enthusiasm, the same energy of self-devotion into the war against the spoils system, the boss politician, as their sons and brothers have done against a foreign foe. Let them do this in a spirit of manhood, of all those young ladies sacrificed this summer in our camps—to the spoils system entrenched in the War Department. The discussion which followed was entered into with such interest that the time for adjournment came before the last paper on the morning programme could be read. It was read at the afternoon session by Mrs. Ida K. Spear of Ventura. The subject was "Women in Politics," and emphasized the words of Samantha Allen, when she said that "Women must put their shoulder blades to the wheel."

Mrs. Lilly B. Graham of Los Angeles read a very instructive and interesting paper on "Health in Korea." Mrs. Graham told of her pleasant experiences when she lived in that country and mentioned the public schools, church work, etc.

Miss Leodora Whitcomb of Chicago, who has made a special study of music, gave a talk on "National Music," comparing the German and Russian with that of the American. She said one needs only to attend the political mass meetings to realize that American songs such as "Marching Through Georgia" and "State-Spangled Banner" are appreciated. Miss Whitcomb's talk showed that she was thoroughly conversant with her subject.

"Physical Culture in the Nursery" was the next paper on the programme. The writer is Mrs. M. C. Merritt of Redland Merritt of Los Angeles. She spoke of the early physical culture training in the child, and especially when it is beginning to walk. Too little attention is given to physical culture training, especially in the deformed, which is remedied sometimes by massage. She closed by remarking that children should be taught to use their hands equally well.

Mrs. Eva Dodds Rolfe of Indianapolis gave a practical talk in Physical Culture to Home-keepers, illustrating her ideas as she talked. Our bodies are all that keep us here in this world, and upon them depends our success or failure. We should take better care of the body.

The paper that should have been read by Mrs. E. F. Carey of San Diego, on "Charities for Children," was postponed until the next meeting of the parliament, owing to the lateness of the paper.

The time was given to a business meeting of the members of the parliament.

Mrs. W. E. Chapin made a motion that a vote of thanks be tendered the retiring officers of the parliament, which was seconded, and standing vote was taken.

A committee of three was appointed from Los Angeles to attend to the minor details of the next parliament, which will probably be held in Pasadena.

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grace of its own which will command it to your

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Look at this skirt of rich Black Taffeta Silk,

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"Laferriere" of Paris. Embroidered with che-

nille and beads as only the French can do it.

The price is \$50.00.

Look at this skirt of heavy Black Taffeta Silk,

with lining and triple dust ruffle of brilliant color

—embroidered with chenille. The price is \$37.50.

Look at this Skirt of Black Taffeta, trimmed

with seven rows (in graduated widths) of black

velvet ribbon running diagonally around the skirt.

Very effective and stylish. The price is \$17.50.

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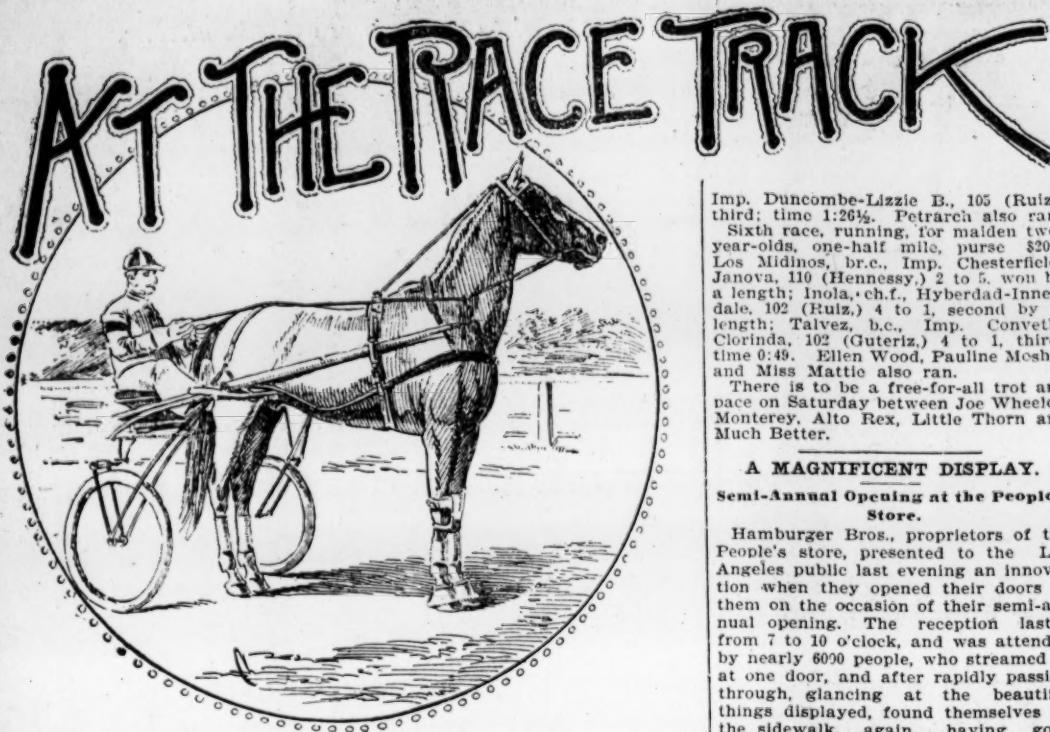
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TODAY'S ENTRIES.

First race, trotting, 2:17 class; purse \$500; Nellie Bly, Sabie Frances, Ira Alto, Mabel McKinney and Lou.

Second race, running, five-eighths of a mile; Nipper (105), Out (110), Sir Uriah (100) and Mosher (100).

Third race, running, five-eighths of a mile for non-winners at the meeting; entries close at the track this morning at 10 a.m. and race at 2:09 p.m.

Fourth race, running, seven-eighths of a mile; Viking (109), Queen Nubia (106), Pig Latin (108), Kambodia (102) and Howard (108) and Mosher (106).

Fifth race, running, six and one-half furlongs; Lady Ashley (105), Sweet Smith (110), Torbie (106), Pat Murphy (110), Petrich (102).

Yesterday was an off day at the races. The card, which consisted of two harness races and four runs, promised to be an attractive one and to furnish lots of sport. In point of attractiveness it failed to bring out a crowd, and in the amusement furnished those who did attend the races, by no means pleased. There were some events in which interest centered, but the other races were commonplace events, which failed to arouse much enthusiasm. It was, of course, almost impossible to have record-breaking races every day in an eleven-day meeting, yesterday being one of the days when there were no records broken or other sensational performances.

The attendance was only fair, not more than 1500 people paying their way into the park. Among this number was a surprisingly large representation from the fair sex, and almost as many women as men occupied seats in the grand stand. On the ground floor there was the usual motley crowd of men who crowded into the betting stand, most of them merely to watch the chalk work on the boards and to advise (?) those who placed their money in the books how to place it. There were more numerous yesterday than on any previous day, and the novice in betting on horse races they made life a burden. The usual number of those who never lose an opportunity to attend a horse race were there, of course, but it was not as numerous as usual. To suit the humor and probably the financial condition of most of those present the barbers made a concession, for on every keg along the counter was conspicuously displayed the sign "Beer 10 cents." The beer, which drinks a bit" was not enjoyed, and even at that the bar did a rather poor business.

The events of the afternoon were fairly good average horse races, but there was nothing unusual or what might not be expected any day in any of them. When the first bell rang calling the pacers to the track, there were 1500 people in the grand stand, and even the betting ring was almost empty. It was not until the first race was almost completed, and there were three heats in it, that the rest of the crowd arrived, and then all of them did not remain throughout the afternoon.

If the running events had been all there was on the card, the day might well have been styled "Baldwin day," for the Baldwin stable won every running event save one, and in that the stable was not represented. The stable had more success than any other of the runners at the track this week, although last week it did not do so well.

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THE LAST RACE.

A half-mile run for maiden two-year-olds was the last race of the day. It brought out the largest field of the day, six youngsters starting, of whom Los Midinos, another Baldwin colt, was favorite at 2 to 5. The Wood stable coupled Talver and Ellen Wood, and they were placed at 4 to 1 on the boards. Like the previous race, Los Midinos won by a length from Inilo, who led Talver two lengths.

SUMMARIES.

First race, pacing, special for named horses; purse \$500.

Don, d. br. m., by McKinney, W. Mullins and James, 100; 1 1 1.

Douglas, b. col. d. b. m., Kilian, J. Sullivan (C. F. Burch), 3 2 2.

Bastina, ch. m., by Nutway, L. J. T. Shaw, owner and driver, 2 4 5.

Nutway, ch. g., by Nipper, H. R. Garney, owner and driver, 5 3 3.

Billy Baker, b. b., by Silwood, C. T. Shaw, owner and driver, 4 5 4.

Time 2:09 1/2; 2:15, 2:17 1/2.

Second race, trotting, match race, \$250 a side and \$300 added:

Talver, b. k., Nutway, d. 5.

Pashaw, (C. E. Clark), 1 1 1.

Williams, 2 1/2.

Time 2:09 1/2; 2:14.

This race running, five and one-half furlongs, purse \$200; Elsie Smith, Salvator-Columbine, 139 (Henry), 4 to 5, won by a head, in a driving finish; Gibbly Flibbitt, gr. m., Suwarrow-Flibbitt, 138 (Wilkens), 4 to 5, second by half a length; Pashaw, 1 1/2, b. f. 3, by Decever, 134 (Sheilds), 7 to 5, third; time 1:10 1/2. Whistie Bird and Igo also ran.

Fourth race, running, for three-year-olds and upward, four and one-half furlongs, purse \$250; C. F. Burch, 139 (Wilkens), 4 to 5, second by half a length; Pashaw, 1 1/2, b. f. 3, by Decever, 134 (Sheilds), 7 to 5, third; time 1:10 1/2. Whistie Bird and Igo also ran.

Fifth race, running, for three-year-olds and upward, four and one-half furlongs, purse \$250; C. F. Burch, 139 (Wilkens), 4 to 5, second by half a length; Gracias, 3, by Gano, (Powell) 8 to 5, third; time 1:04 1/2. Rosette also ran.

First race, trotting, match race, all seven-eighths of a mile, purse \$300; La Goleta, ch. f., 3, Amigo-Rose Bud, 107 (Devlin), 6 to 5, coupled with San Venado, won easily by four lengths; Grady, b. s., 5, Three Cheers Gold Cup, 118 (Henry), even, second by six lengths; San Venado, b. r. c. 3.

In kidney trouble any pure high-grade gin will help as well as Ilera. But Ilera is guaranteed by Wollacott, 124 N. Spring.

FORESTERS' HIGH COURT.

THE ANNUAL SESSION AT SANTA BARBARA.

Independent Order of Foresters Combine Business With Pleasure Committees Appointed and Officers Elected.

SANTA BARBARA, Oct. 12.—[Special Correspondence.] It was about 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon when the first day's session of the High Court adjourned, and just previous to adjournment the High Chief Ranger appointed the following standing committees:

Credentials—W. H. Perry, Los Angeles; P. Muterbach, Colusa; W. M. James, Fontana; J. L. Denton, Maxwell; J. J. Crowell, Los Gatos.

On Distribution—Dr. J. G. Baird, Riverside; G. W. Bates, Santa Barbara; M. H. Dunn, Sacramento; M. F. Quinn, El Monte; J. Harrison, San Bernardino.

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TODAY'S ENTRIES.

First race, trotting, 2:17 class; purse \$500; Nellie Bly, Sable Frances, Iran Alto, Mabel Moore, etc. Second race, running, five-eighths of a mile; Napian (118), Ojal (110), Sir Urias (105), Pauline Mosher (105), etc. Third race, running, five-eighths of a mile for non-winners at the meeting; entries close at the track this morning at 10 o'clock; purse, running, seven-eighths of a mile; Viking (109), Queen Nubia (109), Fly Leaf (109), Kaiser Ludwig (112), Howard (108), Masovero (108), Promy (107), etc. Fourth race, running, and half-furlongs; Lady Ashley (105), Tom Smith (110), Toribio (105), Pat Murphy (110), Petracch (110).

Yesterday was an off day at the races. The card, which consisted of two harness races and four runs, promised to be an attractive one and to furnish lots of sport. In point of attractiveness it failed to bring out a crowd, and in the amusement furnished those who did attend the races were by no means phenomenal. There were one or two events in which interest centered, but the other races were commonplace events, which failed to arouse much enthusiasm. It is, of course, al- ways impossible to have record-breaking races every day in a eleven-day meeting, yesterday being one of the days when there were no records broken or other sensational performances.

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The rule "all drinks a bit" was not enforced, and even at that the bar did a rather poor business.

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Bastina, against whom 8 to 1 had been laid, took the lead in the second heat, and Juliet D. close up. The mare could have passed the header in the first quarter, but it was not until after the half had been passed that she went out in front, again under a pull. Juliet D. won a length from Don, with Nutway third.

The final heat was even an easier victory for Juliet D. than the others had been. She led at the start, and retained the advantage and won as she pleased, with Don second and Nutway third.

A LIVELY MATCH RACE.

The principal event of the day was the match trotting race between Togglers and Monterey for \$250 a side and \$500 added by the association. It had been agreed that two heats in three, instead of three in five, should decide this event, which was the second race on the card. Throughout the meeting there had been great diversity of opinion as to the owners of these horses, and several times the match had been proposed, but their being entered in other events prevented the trial of their respective speed until yesterday, when neither were entered in any other race. In the first heat, Monterey was favorite at 3 to 2, while Togglers was heavily played at even money. In point of business done, this was one of the best races of the day, but the result in the heat was not to their liking. There was little delay in starting the first heat, and when the word was given Togglers had a shade the advantage, having the pole and being about half a length in advance of Monterey. The pace was very fast, the first

Imp. Duncombe-Lizzie B., 105 (Ruiz) third; time 1:26½. Petracch also ran. Sixth race, running, for maiden colts, one-half mile, purse \$200; Los Midinos, br., Imp. Chesterfield-Janova, 110 (Hennedy) 2 to 5 won by a length; Inola, ch., Imp. Hyperbad-Innerdale, 102 (Ruiz) 4 to 1, second by a length; Talvez, b.c., Imp. Conveth-Orford, 101 (G. L. Ruiz) 2 to 1, third; time 0:49. Ellen Wood, Pauline Mosher and Miss Mattle also ran.

There is to be a free-for-all trot and race on Saturday between Joe Wheeler, Monterey, Alto Rex, Little Thor, and Much Better.

A MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY.

Semi-Annual Opening at the People's Store.

Hamburger Bros., proprietors of the People's store, presented to the Los Angeles public last evening an innovation when they opened their doors to them on the occasion of their semi-annual opening. The reception lasted from 7 to 10 o'clock, and was attended by nearly 6000 people, who streamed in at one door, and after rapidly passing through, glancing at the beautiful things displayed, found themselves on the sidewalk again, having gone through the entire establishment, seen the whole display, and scarcely jostled it at all.

The entire front of the store was a blaze of light, in various colors and kinds. Perhaps the most beautiful of the windows was the one given up to the window, which was entirely in red, blue, cream and chiffon and ribbons. Hinges and the window sash were of marble statuary, bought in Florence by Mr. H. Hamburger, and shipped here with a large consignment. The windows on the opposite side of the central door was made up of blue silks, in all shades from the pale to the dark navy, and was given greater effect by the blue globes on the electric lights. The trimmings counter is made up to represent the front of the White House, between the pillars of which stand figures representing Uncle Sam, John Bull, Columbia welcoming Porto Rico and Hawaii, and in the center enthroned a figure of the Goddess of Liberty.

On the right is the ribbon counter, with a suspension bridge sixty feet long, from which two passenger trains crossing the bridge. The entire store is decorated with smilax, ferns, palms, flowers of every description.

The drug department has fountains of perfumery playing all the time, and a display.

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PASADENA.

SEARCH FOR A PAIR OF DESPERATE CHARACTERS.

Escaped Convicts from Sacramento Jail Traced to the San Gabriel Valley—A Break in the Water Main—East Side Pump Started Again—City Hall Notes.

PASADENA, Oct. 12.—[Regular Correspondence.] Police, constables and other officials here are on the hunt for two convicts who escaped from the County Jail known to have been on their attempted break-out of the State, foraging as they went, probably intending to get into Mexico, and are suspected of having been concerned in last Sunday night's burglary on Pasadena avenue, in which a watch, jewelry and other valuables were secured, the first big haul made here this season. It is also thought they may have been concerned in some of the recent crimes perpetrated in this vicinity this month. They are known as William Taylor and John C. Burke, and both are accomplished in rascality. Today Sheriff Johnson of Sacramento sent special word to the local officials to look for them, as he is confident that they took a train for the South from Fresno and had motives for going through this valley.

Each of the jail birds has a well-marked individuality. Burke, the elder, is 25 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches tall, weighs 140 pounds. He wears the scars of a powder explosion, one side of his face is maimed, hand, one thumb and the middle finger gone and the tips of the other fingers cut off. The left forearm is tattooed with a heart, arrow, sword and scimitar.

Taylor, junior, son of the firm, has the smooth, clean-cut and bright face of a college student. He is 24 years old, 5 feet 6 inches tall, weighs 145 pounds. The india-ink decorator has exercised considerable skill on him, having imprinted a blue bracelet on his right wrist, his initials and a single rose on his left arm, and hearts and arrows on the backs of both hands. If anybody comes across these genet-ry, it will be easy enough to identify them. They were a pair of canary-colored for each. They were in jail for high-way robbery, and they are expert brake-beam riders. Both are familiar with San Quentin and are said to be favorite singer among the frequenters of dives.

CITY HALL NOTES.

Engineer Lippincott of Los Angeles has accepted the terms proposed by the city, and has begun his duties in the preparation of plans and estimates for the new municipal water works. He and City Engineer Chapman are out today on a general investigation of the water supplies of the city. This field work will be prosecuted for several days. The sinking of the well on the site selected by the city for this purpose will be done under Engineer Lippincott's supervision.

Last week it was announced with much rejoicing by the Los Angeles Water Company that one of their pumps had overflowed and that the pump had been stopped, so great was the supply of water. People had to wait a week for the stoppage over soon stopped. The water in the reservoir went down, and on Monday the pump was started again, and has been running ever since, and the company states tonight that it has been all the pump could do, to keep the water level up in the reservoir, the past two days. Some thought that this sudden episode might dampen the ardor for municipal water works, but that movement is going ahead with full steam up. Mr. Stone of New York, who has been down a while near the point where the city pump is to be sunk, is getting a good supply of water.

There was filed with the City Clerk today a copy of a power attorney given by George B. Leighton of San Leandro, president of the Terminal Railway, to T. E. Gilson, Esq., of Los Angeles, authorizing him to accept the franchise recently granted by the city. The City Attorney thinks the document was necessary, and it was executed in Cheshire county, N. H., where Mr. Leighton has been spending the summer.

WATER WORKS BREAK.

Residents of Terrace Drive and Howard street were aroused tonight by the sound of running water. Investigation revealed a break in the water main at the junction of Terrace Drive and West Colorado. The water company's crew were routed from their quarters to the water main at the top of Colorado hill. Digging them at the locality of the break, they found that the plug of an irrigating pipe had blown out and was loose, the outer iron bandage was gone, and water was running off in the gutters. The break was repaired, and water turned on again before midnight.

PASADENA BREVIETIES.

The Pasadena Board of Trade will give a talk on the coming of the National Educational Association, who will visit this city Thursday forenoon.

The Pasadena Medical Association will meet Saturday evening at the offices of Drs. Briggs and James. Dr. McBride will read a paper on "Epileptic Fighting."

The Red Cross workers devoted themselves to making bandages and brassards for the soldiers. There will be an all-day session Friday.

A. MILTON LACKER, aged 26 years, died here last night, having arrived Monday from Colorado. The body will be taken to Pueblo, March 1.

Miss Jessie York of this city, daughter of Judge York, has been appointed captain of the hand-ball team at Occidental College.

Pasadena Lodge of United Workmen will meet Magnolia Lodge Friday evening in debate. There will be candidates Monday evening.

VENTURA COUNTY.

Franchise Applied for to Lay Twenty Miles of Pipe.

VENTURA, Oct. 12.—[Regular Correspondence.] The Union Oil Company of California has applied to the Board of Supervisors for a franchise to lay and operate a pipeline from the Calleguas Ranch to Ventura, a distance of about twenty miles. The franchise will be laid by the supervisors on November 14. The company is now preparing to lay the pipe, several carloads of which have already been delivered at Santa Paula, Saticoy and Montalvo.

The oil company has been developing this territory for the past six months, and the prospects are considered good for an abundance of oil. Camarillo brothers own the ranch, and will receive all their royalty one-eighth of the gross.

ELECTON BREVIETIES.

At their regular meeting the Board of Supervisors passed a resolution whereby all election officers at the coming election shall receive \$5 for their services instead of \$10, as in the past. This cut for the sake of economy means a direct saving of \$900.

The Red Cross Society is making elaborate arrangements for a grand reception to the members of Co. H upon their return, and a big dinner the following evening.

BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

The Preliminary Examination of Col. A. J. Smith's Assistant.

SANTA MONICA, Oct. 12.—[Regular Correspondence.] Albert G. Bradley, the old soldier who attained the rank of Gov. A. J. Smith of the Soldiers' Home, again endorsed, through his counsel, today to prosecute the State to renounce its jurisdiction in his case. Bradley is charged with assault with intent to commit murder. His preliminary examination was held in this city today before Justice A. M. Guldinger. Deputy District Attorney McComas appeared for the prosecution. Bradley was ill last Wednesday, and so the hearing was postponed till today. The prisoner seemed to take little interest in his case. His eyes were listless and his demeanor during the proceedings was characterized by an appearance of placid in-

NEWS FROM SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TOWNS.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

RATTLESNAKE BITES A WORKMAN AT BALLAST POINT.

Kills the Snake and Then Runs for Whisky—Rapid Developments in the New Steamship Line. Bates-Conover Wedding—Coronado Republicans Rally.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 12.—[Regular Correspondence.] James Lowe, workman at the Ballast Point fortifications, was bitten by a rattlesnake at the Point yesterday, as he was stooping down to pick up the last rock for the day. The rattler was beneath the rock, and stung Low in the back of the left hand at the base of the second finger, at the same time sounding its rattle. Low stopped to kill the snake, and then hurried to camp, where he was dosed with whisky. Then he was brought to the city, and taken to Dr. Goehnauer's office. Low was in a state of nervous collapse, but the doctor thinks he will be saved.

NEW STEAMSHIP LINE.

Capt. D. G. Freeth of Honolulu, who has recently returned from a trip to San Francisco, says the California Orient informed him that arrangements had been made by the California and Oriental Steamship Company to call at Honolulu regularly, going and coming between San Diego and Yokohama. This dispenses of all doubt as to the inclusion of Hawaii in the company's business.

A number of general officials of the Southern California Railway, including General Manager, General Superintendent, Beach Passenger Agent Byrne and Roadmaster Hall, are here on business connected with the new line. The warehouses are about to be built on the Santa Fe wharf and tracks rearranged for the new business.

The proceeding of the extension of the wharf is proceeding with vigor.

An oil man by the name of Charles F. Gray and Ralph Morris have gone to Santa Barbara as delegates to the High Court of the Independent Order of Foresters, now in session there.

A remarkably heavy bank of fog lay along the coast this afternoon, and was at times thick enough to blot out the sky.

The case of Joseph Scholz, charged with selling liquor without license, was heard in the Soldiers' Home, has been dismissed with the consent of the District Attorney. The case has been pending before Justice Wells for about a month. The costs were paid by Scholz. He has removed from the county.

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.

INVESTIGATION INTO CHARGES AGAINST OFFICER WHITE.

Testimony Went to Show He Was Not Drunk and Was Off Duty in the Saloon—Flight—No Action Taken—Republican Rally at Del Rosa.

SAN BERNARDINO, Oct. 12.—[Regular Correspondence.] Investigation of the charge preferred against Policeman J. B. White by Marshal Reeves, was conducted last night before the Board of City Trustees. The officer is charged with being drunk and fighting, while on duty.

After an hour's delay, H. H. Whaley and J. W. McNair were brought in and with McNair that White had the difficulty, in the "office" saloon, at an early hour Sunday morning, September 25. Both witnesses testified that White was in the saloon at the time named, but that he did not drink anything. McNair received a telephone message, calling an officer to the Santa Fe station, which was White's beat. The officer left at once, and returned an hour later, and seemed offend at McNair for sending him to the station, where he had found the saloon quiet. It was at this time that he was passed white. Drove his revolver, and was subsequently knocked down by McNair. Neither Whaley nor McNair would express an opinion as to whether White was intoxicated. The testimony of the police sergeant was to the effect that the officer was perfectly sober on the night that the trouble occurred. White detailed his service to the Santa Fe station, and the points of the round of yards just before 3 o'clock, when he reported off duty. He testified that he came down town about 3:30 o'clock, and was at the "Olive" when he entered. He remonstrated with McNair for sending him to the station for nothing. This angered McNair, and hot words, the drawing of White's pistol, and the officer's threats of a lawsuit, ensued. White's excuse to prove that he was sober and that the fight occurred when he was off duty, will travel a couple of weeks before settling down at San Francisco.

SAN DIEGO BREVIETIES.

Charles Everett died of convulsions yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital, as a result of taking whisky. Everett was drinking whisky when he came up with a drink when he came up with a lot of wood alcohol among some paint cans. He could not resist the temptation, and forfeited his life in consequence.

Oscar Borin, San Diego agent of the Coast Seamen's Union, and District Frequent, sailor of the schooner Sequoia, had a fight on the water front night before last, in which Borin was struck by Borin. He was afterward arrested.

Judge Torrance has authorized Receiver Conover of the California National Bank to sell bonds of the Linda Vista Irrigation district for \$12,000. The par value of the bonds is \$5,000.

The seventeenth anniversary of Heintzelman Post, G.A.R., was celebrated by the members of the unit last night in a jolly manner. Judge McDonald delivered an appropriate speech.

The Republicans had a rally at Linda Vista last night, which was largely attended by members of that district. D. C. Collier, Jr., and Harry K. Hermon spoke.

Senator White is announced to speak to the fusionists on the plaza next Monday night.

CORONADO BEACH.

Enthusiastic Republican Rally.

Fishing in the Ocean.

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Oct. 12.—[Regular Correspondence.] The Republicans of Coronado took out last evening in a most enthusiastic rally at Coronado Hall. The speakers of the evening were L. A. Wright and Frank C. Smith, of San Diego, and especially charming in her wedding gown. The group is a prominent young business man of San Francisco, and the happy couple left for the North this afternoon. They will travel a couple of weeks before settling down at San Francisco.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

Football Enthusiasts Playing by Electric Light—Brevities.

SANTA BARBARA, Oct. 12.—[Regular Correspondence.] A team from San Bernardino will play a game with the local football first team at the race track in this city Thanksgiving day. The club is making every effort to be ready for the contest. The members are having electric lights introduced on the track grounds in order to devote their evenings to the hard work necessary to compete with the older organizations, and insure against defeat.

The Sharpshooters had a business meeting recently and decided to disband. Resolutions were passed thanking Capt. C. P. Newman for his services in the past labors in the interest of the company.

The directors of the Young Men's Christian Association engaged the services of a professional athlete who gave a lecture on general gymnastics and physical culture.

The Santa Barbara Humane Society will meet Monday afternoon for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

Richardson and Thompson are in attendance at the Grand Lodge in San Francisco as representative Masons from here.

Edward T. Bach, accompanied by Mrs. Bach, went to Los Angeles this morning to attend the convention of the Southern California Homopathic Association, to which he is a delegate.

The Robinson Oil Company has leased additional acre in Summerland oil territory, and the developments are rapidly developing.

In the matter of the estate of W. A. Franklin, who was buried in the cemetery of Los Angeles, and County Attorney West is being assisted in the prosecution by Attorneys Will A. Harris of Los Angeles and E. E. Koch of Pasadena.

The first witness placed upon the stand was Thomas Graham, the friend of Griggsby who was with him at the time he was shot. His statement of the facts in the killing was corroborated by the one he gave at the Coroner's inquest.

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City Briefs.

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Cumnock School of Orophy will reopen today at 10 o'clock promptly.

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Stoll & Thayer Co. have moved their book and stationery store to Nos. 252 and 254 S. Spring St., Stimson Block.

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For Supervisor, Third Supervisor District, John Burns, Independent candidate.

Dr. Elizabeth A. Follansbee removed to Laughlin building, 315 S. Broadway.

Dr. Joseph H. Kirkpatrick, 300 South Hill, residence 24th and Hoover.

Dr. Minnie Wells, 127 E. Third.

The Los Angeles Sharoshooters will select team for tournament at the meeting to be held this evening.

Charles Patterson of No. 1444 San Fernando street was treated at the Receiving Hospital yesterday afternoon for an ulcerated finger.

Union Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church will tender a reception to the new pastor, Rev. G. H. Lawrence, and his wife this evening in the church parlors.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph Company's office for Mrs. Thomas Davis, Rev. Frank Morton, L. M. Mettler, Oliver P. Morton, C. P. Heaton, Frank Long, I. W. Curran.

The business houses of Los Angeles will close tomorrow (Friday) afternoon in order to give their employes an opportunity to return home the Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., and visit the fair at Agricultural Park.

Coroner Campbell received a telephone message from Pomona about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, stating that man who committed suicide in that place had committed suicide by taking strichnine. The Coroner will go out and hold an inquest this morning.

A mass meeting of Christian Endeavorists will greet the State president, General P. L. Franklin, at the First Congregational Church at 7:30 o'clock this evening. Mr. Lowell succeeded Leonard Merrill of this city as State president, and comes here for the first time since assuming the duties of that office.

Master Chief of Police Glass received word from P. H. Winters of East San Pedro, stating that he had a lost boy. The lad is about 8 years of age, and says he lives at No. 116 Winton street. It was learned that the boy was brought by his mother, who now lives with his aunt at Alamitos, but who insists on running away every once in a while.

POKER ORDINANCE TEST.

GAMBLERS APPEAL DIRECT TO THE SUPREME COURT.

Petition Filed Asking for the Release of J. P. Wilson on a Writ of Habeas Corpus—Arguments Have not Yet been Heard.

In accordance with the anticipated plan of Mayor Snyder's sporting friends to knock out the new poker ordinance, steps were taken yesterday by the gamblers' attorney, W. H. Shinn, to bring that result about with as little delay as possible.

As stated yesterday, the plan is to get a decision from the Supreme Court, which is in session here now, on a writ of habeas corpus. To get a writ it is necessary for somebody to be restrained of his liberty. A. B. Smith and J. P. Wilson, the two gamblers arrested the other day when the Arizona club room was in session, were released on bail at the time. Yesterday morning Wilson was surrendered to the custody of the Chief of Police, so a writ for his release could be applied for.

Attorney Shinn prepared the application and addressed it to the office of Chief Justice Beatty. The court adjourned at noon, however, till 10 o'clock this morning, without hearing arguments in the matter. Chief Glass therefore still has Wilson on his hands. It is expected that the court will give a hearing in the matter today.

The petition filed by Attorney Shinn contends that Wilson is restrained of his liberty by virtue of an ordinance which the City Council of Los Angeles "has no legal right to make" as the reason that "no authority exists" to the charter of the city for its passage.

"That said ordinance is unconstitutional and void in this; that the game of poker or draw poker or a game played with cards is not an unlawful game, and the conducting of a room or apartment or place for the playing of a game with cards is not unlawful; nor is it unlawful to take compensation for the room or apartment or place or furniture or lights or room, or by any other direct or indirect way. And said ordinance is in the unlawful restraint of trade and personal rights, and not a legitimate subject for police regulation."

PERSONALS.

Rev. John L. Pitner and family, from Norwich, Ct., are visiting his son, Prof. E. B. Pitner, 828 S. Spring street, Twenty-fifth street, before going to San Diego, where Mr. Pitner has been appointed pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church.

Detective James McQueeny of the Boston police department called at the Police Station yesterday to pay his respects to Chief Glass and staff. Mr. McQueeny is not here on official business.

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A CARD OF THANKS FROM PROF. H. RUSSELL BURNER, M.D.

To the Editor of The Times, Los Angeles, Cal.—Dear Sir: Allow me through your valuable columns to extend my heartfelt thanks and appreciation to those hundreds of friends who have sympathized with me in this, the time of my bereavement, in the loss of my beloved son Russell, by kindly rendering all the assistance in their power, and especially in their efforts to comfort the powers, those sweet tokens of love and purity.

I also most earnestly thank the pastor, trustees and members of the Unity Church, who conducted the funeral service for the conducting of the memorial service on Sunday last; also to the choir, who so kindly aided in the same. Sincerely, DR. H. RUSSELL BURNER.

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At the Orphan's Fair.

The fair of the Los Angeles Orphans' Asylum in New Turner Hall continues to draw large crowds, both day and evening. At the dinner served yesterday the lady attendants were taxed to the utmost to accommodate those coming in. A fairly good crowd was present, and the ladies who were there evidently came to help the good work, and those having charge of the booths report a very successful day in receipts.

The musical programme last night was short but well received. It consisted of the following selections: Minstrel, "Medley"—Arend's Orchestra.

Song, "Cuba Shall be Free"—F. A. V. Piano solo, "Romance"—Little Aggie Buisseret.

Song, "Bright Sunlight"—Miss Várando.

Violin solo—Little Ray Víjar. Finale—Arend's Orchestra.

Oleomargarine not Wanted.

Secretary Zeehandelaar of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, recently written from W. H. Bonsu, local manager of the Soldier's Home at Santa Monica, in reply to one sent him by the association relating to the use of oleomargarine at the home. Mr. Bonsu says he has referred the letter received, together with inclosures, to General at Hartford, Ct. He still further says: "In our opinion expressing my preference for oleomargarine without reference to prices, and I have strongly recommended to Gen. Franklin in letters written within the last two days that we contract only for California creamy butter."

The business houses of Los Angeles will close tomorrow (Friday) afternoon in order to give their employes an opportunity to return home the Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., and visit the fair at Agricultural Park.

Coroner Campbell received a telephone message from Pomona about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, stating that man who committed suicide in that place had committed suicide by taking strichnine. The Coroner will go out and hold an inquest this morning.

A mass meeting of Christian Endeavorists will greet the State president, General P. L. Franklin, at the First Congregational Church at 7:30 o'clock this evening. Mr. Lowell succeeded Leonard Merrill of this city as State president, and comes here for the first time since assuming the duties of that office.

The Lark-Ellen Home.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Lark-Ellen Newsboys' Club held yesterday, the matrons reported new boys having been received during the month; also that the culinary department had been much improved by a fine new range having been put in. The house was expressed that as the year is drawing to a close annual subscriptions will be renewed promptly in order that the new year may open with the home free from debt.

Marriage Licenses.

The marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

John R. Morrison, a native of Kansas, aged 29 years, and Jennie F. Chamberlain, a native of California, aged 25 years, both residents of Los Angeles.

William H. Stevenson, a native of California, aged 33 years, and a resident of Pasadena, and Nettie Carnahan, a native of Texas, aged 23 years, both residents of Los Angeles.

John Feltz, a native of California, aged 30 years, and a resident of Santa Barbara, and Alice M. R. Duncan, a native of Wisconsin, aged 20 years and a resident of Los Angeles.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION.

Supervisors of the various Sunday-schools in the city are requested to meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Congregational Church, corner Sixth and Hill, and address to the secretary, H. W. Brodbeck, chairman, George C. Hill, secretary.

Munsing's Underwear.

We carry a

full and complete line of Munsing's Knit Underwear in vests, pants and combination suits. We handle these goods under such favorable conditions

that ladies can save money on this particular brand by trading with us.

Note window display of these goods.

The Unique

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Health

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In your hot bread and

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SOON TO ARRIVE

Cars of fire-hydrants and other vehicles

in great variety; late styles; new prices;

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NEARLY HALF RATES FAST.

We ship household goods in mixed car lots.

The Van and Storage Co., 436 South Spring.

FALL OPENING

TODAY, TOMORROW AND SATURDAY.

Magnificent Dress Goods

in cloth for women's dresses. To describe all is impossible. Rich, rare fabrics direct from Paris are shown in profusion. Better grades than we have ever shown before—kinds you can find nowhere else. Prices range up to \$7.00 a yard. We quote a few of the Special Opening prices.

75c Illuminated Coverts at 50c.

25 pieces of Illuminated Covert Cloths, 44 in. wide, and illuminated Cheviots, 9 inches wide. We are showing these in all the new colorings; you would consider them good 75c values.

\$1 Two-toned Bourettes at 75c

12 pieces of the new two-toned rough effects in red and black, blue and black, green and black, brown and black, etc. 44 in. wide and matchless values at \$1.00 a yard.

\$1.35 Tailor Suiting at \$1.00.

60 pieces of Tailor Suiting in new tailor cloths, tweeds, cheviots, camel's hairs and English broadcloths, 32 inches wide, every yard worth \$1.00 or \$1.35.

Imported Tailor Suitings, \$1.50.

165 pieces of Fine Imported Tailor Suitings in the new Venetian cloth, invisible cheviots, twilled cloths, etc., all the new popular colors, 32 inches wide and well worth \$1.75 and \$2.00 a yard.

\$1.50 French Novelties, \$1.00.

165 pieces of new French Novelty Silks, including the very latest popular styles, Astoria, Roman plain, emerald, striped, silk, ribbon striped, taffetas, poppadours, silk on burlap, with bayadere cords, satin Duchesse with fancy broken checks. Qualities shown elsewhere at \$1.25 and \$1.50 a yard.

85c Novelty Silks at 50c.

200 yards of Fancy Waist Silks in checked taffetas, changeable broads, silk, satin striped and silk. Not a yard in this lot can be matched elsewhere at \$1.25 and \$1.50 a yard.

Paris Faconne Silks at \$1.50.

A gorgeous display of exclusive Paris novelties.

Many new arrivals since last week's showing, an ensemble of indescribable silk beauty. Hundreds

of pieces, the richest novelty creations, selected by our New York buyer for this opening sale.

Supreme Silks

Some estimate of the comprehensive assortment awaiting our patrons can be formed by a glance at the blue silk window.

All the silks shown are blue, and every other

popular color has an equal showing at the counter. Enough silks in that window alone to surprise and bewilder the shopper. It only hints at the supreme collection to be found at Southern California's Greatest Store. These items illustrate the Special Opening prices.

79c Changeable Taffetas, 65c.

200 yards of Changeable Taffetas in all the swell combinations of colors, and plain taffetas in all the new shades for waists, petticoats and linings. The regular 79c quality.

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Linen Unabated in volume of business.

Sale excitement has in no

way decreased the sales. Thousands of dollars worth of linens are on sale at wonderfully low prices, still lower quotations are made for the three opening days.

Men's Satin Lined Black Suits, \$10.

\$20.00 custom